

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing will replace the prior version, and listing, of claims in the application.

## **LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

1. (currently amended) A method enabling a communication of at least one multimedia message between at least ~~two terminals (3); (4)~~ a first and a second terminal located in a digital network comprising a first data server ~~(1)~~ and a second data server ~~(2)~~, the first data server ~~(1)~~ comprising a first user data base ~~(16)~~ and a first storage means ~~(15)~~ enabling a temporary archiving of the at least one multimedia message, and the second data server ~~(2)~~ comprising a second user data base ~~(22)~~ and a second storage means ~~(21)~~, said method comprising the following steps:
  - a) from at least one multimedia message sent from ~~a~~ the first terminal ~~(3)~~ of the digital network and intended to be sent to a receiving address of a second terminal ~~(4)~~ of said digital network, the content of said multimedia message being temporarily saved in the first storage means comprised in the first data server ~~(1)~~, ~~determine,~~ determining a subscription identifier to an archiving service of the second terminal, the archiving service being specific to the second data server ~~(2)~~;
  - b) automatically associating ~~associate~~ the receiving address with the subscription identifier to the archiving service of said second terminal;
  - c) automatically reformatting said multimedia message with additional data, said additional data comprising a dynamic link corresponding to the subscription identifier to perform an automatic billing of the archiving with the archiving service;
  - d) automatically sending ~~send~~ the content of ~~the said~~ multimedia message from the first data server ~~(1)~~ to the second data server ~~(2)~~; and
  - e) automatically archiving ~~archive~~ the content of ~~the said~~ multimedia message in the second storage means ~~(21)~~ comprised in the second data server ~~(2)~~ for an undetermined period without depending on a preset period at the end of which said multimedia message is destroyed up to the moment when said multimedia message is consulted on the second terminal.

2. (previously presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the content of the multimedia message sent comprises at least one image, at least one text element, and at least one audio partition.
3. (currently amended) The method according to ~~any one of Claims Claim 1- or 2,~~ wherein, before the archiving step, an automatic extraction is performed from a part of the content of the multimedia message.
4. (original) The method according to Claim 3, wherein, before the archiving step, at least one image is extracted from the multimedia message.
5. (original) The method according to Claim 3, wherein, before the archiving step, at least one text element is extracted from the multimedia message.
6. (original) The method according to Claim 3, wherein, before the archiving step, one part of the data forming the audio partition is extracted from the multimedia message.
7. (currently amended) The method according to ~~any one of Claims Claim 3 to 6,~~ wherein the extraction is performed from the first server ~~(1)~~.
8. (currently amended) The method according to ~~any one of Claims Claim 3 to 6,~~ wherein the extraction is performed from the second server ~~(2)~~.
9. (cancelled)
10. (currently amended) The method according to Claim ~~9~~1, wherein the additional data comprise a notification of archiving information of the multimedia message on the second server ~~(2)~~.
11. (currently amended) The method according to Claim ~~9~~1, wherein the additional data comprise a dynamic link to a user account of the recipient of the multimedia message.

12. (currently amended) The method according to Claim 91, wherein the additional data comprise a dynamic link to perform an archiving confirmation request.
13. (cancelled)